## BE KING OF BOHEMIA.

FRANCIS JOSEPH'S COMING CORONATION.

GERMANY DEEPLY INTERESTED IN AUSTRIAN POLITICS-SPORTS IN THE KAISER'S COUN-

> TRY-FOOD PRODUCTS LEGISLATION -AHLWARDT HOME AGAIN.

Berlin, Feb. 21.-The developments of the Austrian elections almost divide interest in Germany with the Eastern crisis. The submerging of the German Liberals, the growth of the Young Czech and anti-Semite elements and the obvious strength of the Cierical party are all factors which are felt as destined to have influence upon German affairs, internal and external. Since Dr. Rieger, the Old Czech leader, advised his party at their meetings on February 9 to coalesce with the Young Czechs the electoral struggle against Germans, Socialists and anti-Semites, the coalition has been partly effected. In other sections there are candidates of the young section opposing candidates of the old. fair forecast gives some forty seats in the new Reichsrath to the Young Czechs and ten to the Old. The combined factions will demand the official use of their language by the administrative and judicial authorities in Bohemia, Moravia and Austrian Silesia, and the coronation of the Emperor as King of Bohemia, on the coming commemoration of the fiftieth anniversary of his ascent of the throne. This coronation question, long agitated in Bohemia, is believed to be settled, Count Badenl having recommended and the Emperor assented to it to satisfy the Bohemians. The anti-Semite leader, Dr. satisfy the Bohemians. The anti-Semite leader, Dr. Lüger, is apparently now in vigorous health, and has actually been seen at two aristocratic balls in Vienna. At one of these, the ball at the Town Hall, which marks the closing of the carnival senson, the Emperor made a short stay. He made a sort of State progress through the Gothic Hall and other apartments, accompanied by a number of Courr. notables, the Papal Nuncio and some Church digaltaries. The Hebrews were, of course, corspicuous by their absence. Anti-Semites and Socialists are nightly brawling at their meetings in Vienna and other populous centres. The police only intervene when bloodshed occurs.

That strange figure in socio-religious politics the Abbe Stojalewski, against whom some twenty senences for breach of public order, the press laws or something else have been recorded, has raised a fersomething eise have been recorded, has raised a terment among the Pollish peasants in Galicia, which
menaces the old privileges of priests and landords
to control their votes. Stojalewski, who has his
headquarters at Czacza, near the Galician frontief,
has organized a wide agitation among the peasants
ggainst nobles, priests and Jews. His Christian
Socialism has a much more pronounced leaning toward the Socialism of Karl Marx than anything of
the same name seen in Germany. It has at least a
hold, for the time being, on a large section of the
Galician peasants.

The Deutscher Sport Verein, recently founded, now includes the following prominent leaders of society: Prince Aribert of Anhalt, Duke Ernst Gunther of Schleswig-Holstein, Prince Egon von Fürstenberg, Prince Henry of Pless, Prince Eduard Salm-Horstmar, Count Wilhelm von Höhenau, Count Griebenow, Chief Equerry Count Wedel, General von Wartenleben, and others. This ils, of sporting aristocrats continues increasing. The union has adopted rules which stipulate that they will not only cultivate turf sports, but others—gymnastics, golf, cricket, swimming, etc.—and, in short, undertake and patronize everything calculated to benefit sport in the widest acceptance of the term. Prince Aribert of Anhalt, Duke Ernst

The Chancellerie has issued a decree ordering most rigorous inspection of all shops or warshouse importing or selling butter, lard, cheese, etc., with importing or selling butter, lard, cheese, etc., with a view to detecting any admixture of oleomargarine, or surrogate oils or fats. A motion anent margarine before the Prussian Herrenhaus, proposed by Count Frankenberg, calls upon the Government to sanction the margarine bill passed by the Reichstag. Prince Bismarck, in a special leter, supports the motion. It is argued that the Prussian Government ought now to have attained conviction that Prussia's vote in the Bundesrath respecting the bill is not understood by the masses of the nation.

A press dispatch cabled here from New-York, de-A press dispatch cabled here from New-York, de-scribing an interview which "The New-York World" said it had obtained from Prince Bismarck on the subject of the Venezuelan treaty, was shown to the ex-Chancellor a day or so ago, and the "Ham-burger Nachrichten," on the authority of Prince Bismarck, declares that the Prince has given no interview to any American or other journalist upon the subject of the Venezuelan treaty nor any other tonic.

Dr. Ahlwardt, the Jew-balter, has returned from Dr. Ahlwardt, the Jew-balter, has returned from the trip to America, and made his reappearance in the Reichstag. In response to the efforts which have been made to induce him to withdraw from the Reichstag, he declares that he will not surrender his seat, even if he is paid for doing so. It has developed that at a meeting held by the anti-Semites to discuss the matter of Ahlwardt's withdrawal it was decided that the party could not oppose him if in the event of his withdrawal he should decide to stand for re-election.

## THE CHURCH CANDIDATE WINS.

AN ELECTION THAT WILL PROLONG THE SCHOOL

TROUBLE IN MANITOBA. Winnipeg, Feb. 21.-The bye-election for St. Bonivesterday hinged entirely on the Manito school question and created great interest. The fight was between the Catholic clergy candidate, Lauzon, and the Liberal candidate, Hestrang. The Church candidate was elected, his majority being 192. The Liberals or Anti-Separate School party, put up a strong fight, but the influence exerted by the Church was too great to overcome, Archibishop Langevin personally taking part in the campaign and exhorting his flock from the pulpit to vote for Lauzon. Roman Catholics are greatly clated over the victory, as it indorses their stand for separate schools and prolongs the Manitoba fight. fight was between the Catholic clergy candidate,

## ENGLAND'S ASSENT NECESSARY.

WHAT SENATOR WOLCOTT LEARNED FROM HIS INTERVIEWS IN BERLIN.

Berlin, Feb. 21.-United States Senator E. O. Wolcott, of Colorado, who has been visting Berlin in the interests of bimetallism, has left a favorable impression here with all of the officials, financiers and others with whom he came in contact. Despite the negative aspect which the semi-official press gives to the results of Mr. Welczeits migalor, it is known that negative aspect which the semi-official press gives to the results of Mr. Wolcott's mission, it is known that he obtained a full discussion of the question of summoning an international monetary conference. In his interview with Prince Hohenlohe and Baron Marschall von Bieberstein, both Ministers advised him that the condition of his obtaining the co-operation of Germany in calling an international conference was that he should obtain the assent of England to such a meeting. Mr. Wolcott had already obtained the consent of France, and so informed the Ministers. The Senator had an interesting interview with Dr. Miquel, the Prussian Minister of Finance, who told Mr. Wolcott that he was sometimes in favor of himetallism and sometimes inclined toward a gold standard, as the circumstances and the interests of the nation required. Dr. Miquel held that the questions for and against bimetallism could not be answered absolutely, as they involved political as well as economic considerations.

## RUMORS ABOUT GENERAL LEE.

IF THE ADMINISTRATION DOES NOT BACK HIM UP IT IS SAID THAT HE WILL RESIGN.

Subject.

General Lee, it is reported, then cabled to Secretary Olney that the Administration must uphold him in his demand for the instant release of all Americans unjustiy imprisoned as political suspects or give them a speedy civil trial, this demand to be enforced with the presence of American warships; if not, then he should resign.

ROLOFF SAID TO HAVE ARMS AND MONEY. It is reported that General Carlos Roloff, the It is reported that General Carlos Roloff, the Cuban Secretary of War, who was to be tried in Baltimore for fil bustering, is now on his way to Cuba with reinforcements and arms and ammunition for the insurgents. It is said that he has with him 100 men, 8,000 rifles, three cannon and two rapid-firing guns, and that \$300,000 was collected to defray the cost of the expecition. Senor Tomas Estrada Palma, the head of the Cuban Junta in this city, when seen yesterday, declined either to confirm or deny the report. He said, however, that General Roloff had taken leave of him about one week ago, after telling him that his mission to this country had been accomplished, and he must return to Cuba and resume his duties in the Cuban cabinet.

signalled that yesterday, in latitude 51 north, longitude 13 west, she passed the American steamer Menemsha, Captain Chadwick, from New-York February 5 for Bristol, which was apparently in a disabled condition.

TO CELEBRATE ITS BICENTENARY.

WASHINGTON, THE CITIZEN.

ANNIVERSARY OF TRINITY PARISH TO BE DR. BURRELL'S SERMON TO THE SONS OF The British steamer Canada, Captain McAuley, from Boston February 13, also arrived off the port, but owing to the weather conditions she proceeded direct for Liverpool.

## ROUND ABOUT EUROPE.

INDIA FLOODED WITH JAPANESE GOODS BEARING AMERICAN TRADEMARKS.

A FRANCO-SWISS RAILROAD IN ABYSSINIA-IM-PORTANT DECISION BY THE FRENCH COURTS -BELGIUM ALTERS HER TIME OF THE

FER SOUTH AFRICA

Attention has just been called in the English Parliament to the enormous quantities of goods m factured in Japan, but fraudulently adorned with American trademarks, that are being poured into British India. The country is being flooded with clocks, each one of which bears the legend, "The Waterbury Clock Company, U. S. A.," but which are all made at Osaka, while there is not a bazaar throughout the Oriental empire of Queen Victoria where one cannot find for sale lead pencils bearing the trademark of the Eagle Pencil Manufacturing Company, of New-York, but that are manufactured in the outskirts of Tokio. "Belmont sperm" candles professing to come from New-York, but made near Kobe, were naturally assessed by the customs au thorities in the Indian ports at the rate fixed for such articles, whereupon the Japanese exporter and manufacturer indignantly wrote to say that their "Belmont sperm" candles did not contain a particle of spermaceti, that they were just "common can-dies," and "would the revenue official kindly assess

The Swiss engineer, lig, to whose good offices the peace negotiated between Italy and Abyssinia is chiefly due, has received from the Negus, in recognition of his valuable services, a concession of land necessary for the construction of a line of railroad from the interior of Abyssinia to a port on the Red Sea. The line in question is to be several hundred miles long, will be financed by French capitalists and is to be put under way at once.

According to a decision just rendered by the Supreme Court of Appeal at Paris all companies incorporated for the purpose of carrying on business in France must be incorporated in France itself, according to the French Company law. The case which has called for this extremely important decision on the part of the Gallic courts is that of a company incorporated in London in 1888 to carry on business in France. All the original subscribers were Englishmen, as well as the majority of the girectors, while the principal offices of the enterorise are in London. Yet the incorporation is now declared invalid on the grounds above mentioned, and its assets in France have been confiscated and applied to the liquidation of the debts of one of the French directors of the company. As there are a large number of American enterprises of one kind arge number of American enterprises of one kind and another in France, this attitude on the part of the French authorities is worthy of serious consid-eration, all the more as it is a matter for discussion as to whether it does not constitute a violation of the stipulations of France's treaties of commerce with foreign countries.

On and after April 1 next all the clocks on the railroads in Belgium will be provided with dials, marking the hours from 1 to 24 o'clock-midnight. And on May 1, when the public will have become sufficiently accustomed to these clocks, the times of the trains will be regulated by them. Thus a citizen of Antwerp, who wishes to dine with a friend at Brussels at what, according to ordinary watches, would be 7 p. m. will have to catch the 18 o'clock train for the capital, while, if he wishes to be home in Antwerp by midnight, he will have to leave Brus-sels at 23 o'clock.

Contrary to general impression there is no sign of decline in the popularity of the celebrated "Bals de l'Opera" at Paris, which for the last sixty years have constituted so well known a feature of the carnival season in the French capital. At the first of the series this winter over 5,000 people at-tended the function, the entrance money amounting to about \$13,000.

The marked decline of the immigration of Polish and Russian Hebrews into this country which has been observed of late is ascribed by the Muscovite authorities to the fact that South Africa has now taken the place of the United States as the bourne of the Hebrew exodus. The movement in the direction of South Africa is so strong among the Jewish population in Russia that in many places within the so-called "pale" old women and children are carrying on the various occupations and businesses, owing to the fact that all those who are in the prime of life, especially the men, have emigrated to Scath Africa. South Africa.

Among the features of the magnificent festivity that signalized the stay of the Czar Paris were three beautiful poems of welcome, which were recited to Their Majesties by their composers -Coppée, Heredia and Sully-Prudhomme, all three members of the French Academy. These three poems, which excited widespread admiration and afforded much gratification to the Emperor and Empress, have been printed and published. But Empress, have been printed and published. But they have been stopped by the imperial censor at St. Petersburg and barred from sale or distribution in Russia, on the ground that they contain sentiments that do not meet with his approval. The affair has excited the utmost indignation at Paris and is likely to lead to the dismissal of the censor, a gloomy fanatic, who is an intimate friend of M. Pebedonostzeff, and who bears the name of Privy Councillor Solowjew.

The young Czarina has just granted a sum of 100,000 rubles toward the erection of residential quarters for the female students attending the St. Petersburg Medical Institute for Women.

The War Department at Berlin has just been in formed that henceforth the German officers sent to Russia for the purpose of studying the language Russia for the purpose of studying the language will be debarred from establishing their temporary residence anywhere save in the towns and cities of the central provinces. The western provinces are from now on forbidden territory for them, and the Muscovite authorities have likewise intimated that the stays of the German officers for purposes of study in Muscovite towns and cities should be abbreviated.

From Greece comes the news of the discovery on the Island of Salamis of stones inscribed with epitaphs composed by the celebrated poet Simonides for the tomb of the Corinthians who lost their lives in the great battle of Salamis. With the assistance of the indications contained in the epitaph a diligent search is now being pursued for the discovery of the tombs of the Corinthians, who played a leading part in that historic contest. From Greece comes the news of the disc

# REUNITED AFTER TWENTY YEARS.

The wedding of J. de Trafford Blackstone, which is to take place in Philadelphia on Tuesday, is of unusual interest, owing to the fact that he is to here all day that something stirring occurred in Havana yesterday, though they cannot be confirmed as yet. The story is that General Lee is weary of his work and ready and anxious to resign if the Administration will not back him up in his latest case—that of freeing all American political suspects now in rank Spanish dungeons, or at his latest case—that of freeing all American political suspects now in rank Spanish dungeons, or at least securing them a speedy civil trial, such as they are entitled to.

The case of Dr. Rulz, it is claimed, brought this up. General Lee investigated the so-called suicide report and discredited it. He cabled his suspicions to Secretary Olney, and was told to investigate. This he did, and then demanded of the Spaniards that the body be disinterred and a post-mortem examination held. They refused brusquely. Secretary Olney upheld General Lee, and finally the demand was granted by the Spaniards. The post-mortem examination was held yesterday, it is said, and, while it revealed no actual traces of foul play, General Lee decided that his information was such as almost to prove it. It is reported that he and the Spanish officials had sharp words on the subject.

General Lee, it is reported, then cabled to Spece. taker, known to the stage as Lillian Osborne. She was then playing with W. J. Florence and was noted for her beauty and accomplishments. Mr. Blackstone fell in love with her, and they were married. In 1877 Mrs. Blackstone left her husband and obtained a divorce from him. She left with him their infant son. Mrs. Blackstone two years later married Samuel S. Sondheim, of Sondheim Brothers, brokers at No. 20 Cotton Exchange. One day, about seventeen years ago, she left him, and went to Parls. He secured a divorce and has since married. Mrs. Blackstone, before marrying the second time, made several ineffectual attempts to secure her son. After going to Parls she made frequent trips to this country to see her son, and last year when she returned she found him a student at Yale. In the mean time, Mr. Blackstone had married again, but his second wife was dead. She visited Norwich to see her son, and met Mr. Blackstone, A reconciliation took place, and the wedding in St. James's Episcopal Church, in Philadelphia, on Tuesday is the result.

## FUNERAL OF MRS. BISCHOFF.

The funeral services of Annie Louise Bischoff, wife of Judge Henry Bischoff, jr., were held at No. this city, when seen yesterday, declined either to confirm or deny the report. He said, however, that General Roloff had taken leave of him about one week ago, after teiling him that his mission to this country had been accomplished, and he must return to Cuba and resume his duties in the Cuban cablinet.

PASSED A DISABLED AMERICAN STEAMER Queenstown, Feb. 21.—The Cunard Line steamer Aurania, Captain McKay, from New-York for Liverpool February 13, arrived off this port to-day, but did not call, owing to the bad weather. She 19 West Ninety-sixth-st., yesterday, at 1:30 o'clock. The Rev. Dr. Van De Water, rector of the Prot-

COMMEMORATED IN THE BE-GINNING OF MAY.

Arrangements are being made for a celebration of the bicentenary of Trinity Parish to cover a period of eight days, including Sunday, May 2, and Sunday, May 9. The Rev. Dr. Morgan Dix, the rector of the parish, has general charge of the arrange ments, but he has the aid of four committees, who are devoting much time to details. Stephen P. Nash is chairman of the Committee on Invitations, G. M. Coit is chairman of the Committee on Print ing, Richard Delafield is chairman of the Committee on Music, and John T. Lockman is chairman of the Committee on Decoration. C. E. Davenport, who was Colonel Cruger's aid in the centennial cele bration of the irauguration of Washington several years ago, has been engaged as the aid to Dr. Dix

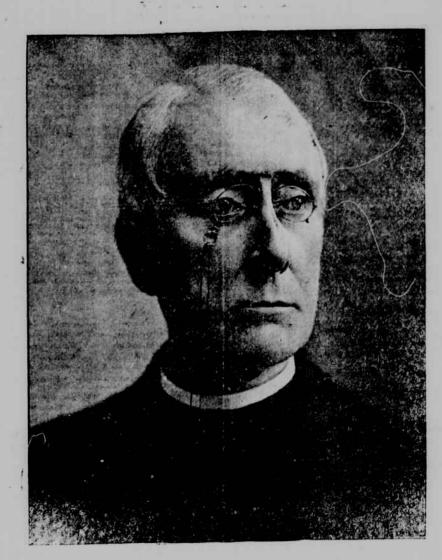
in the preparatory arrangements. Trinity's anniversary day proper will be Wednesday. May 5, and on that day there will be a special service in Trinity Church. The service will be partly civic and partly ecclesiastical. Bishop Potter has promised to delay a trip to Europe in order to take part in the service and deliver the salutatory address. The music will be particularly fine, and will include the sughting of a solemn Te Deum. Admission to the service will be exclusively by ticket. The Committee on Invitations has decided to invite Governor Black, Mayor Strong, President

DR. BURRELL'S SERMON TO THE SONS OF THE REVOLUTION.

THE ANNUAL SERVICE OF THE SOCIETY HELD IN THE MARBLE COLLEGIATE CHURCH-SEV-ERAL CLERGYMEN OF DIFFERENT DENOMINATIONS TAKE PART.

The annual service of the New-York Society. Sons of the Revolution, was held yesterday after-noon in the Marble Collegiate Church, of which the Rev. Dr. David J. Burrell is the pastor.

The church was handsomely decorated with the Stars and Stripes, intermingled with the blue and yellow colors of the society. It was early througed to its utmost limit. Besides the members of the order, there were present delegations from the Daughters of the Revolution, Colonial Dames, Society of 1812, Aziec Club of 1847, Society of Colonial Wars, Loyal Legion and the Society of Foreign Wars, Talbot Olyphant was the chairman of the committee in charge of the service, and he was assisted by Frederick H. Brooks, Clarkson, Frederick S. Woodruff, John Du Fais



THE REV. DR. MORGAN DIX.

sh. A number of other speakers have been

be among the preachers on the closing day of the octave. The music in the church and chapels will be elaborate.

During the celebration Trinity Church and all the chapels of the parish will be decorated in a manner suitable to such an occasion, and each congregation in the parish has a committee at work now on plans for the decorations. The official programmes of the services will be placed together in an illustrated pamphlet of permanent value.

To complete the rejoicing there may be some special act of hereficence by the Trinity Corporation, but upon that point no one connected with the arrangements is ready to speak.

CADETS HAVE FUN WITH THEIR OFFICERS. West Point, N. Y., Feb. 21 (Special).—The cadets gave their annual theatrical performance in Grant Hall last night, and the place was so uncomfortably crowded that many could not gain admission. The "Hundredth Night" entertainment is one of the principal features of cadet life, and the embryo principal leatures of the principal seatures are such good actors that the applica-tions for admission exceeded the seating capacity of their hall. In fact, an hour before the performance began standing room was at a premium. Cadet Sarratt, president of the Dialectic Society, opened the entertainment with an address of welcome. He was followed by Cadet Chency, who fired off a howitzer which was loaded to the muzzle with sarcastic shots for the Academic Board and tactical officers. The play, a three-act burlesque on the Military Academy, followed. To unintelligible, but the audience in Grant Hall understood the situations and appreciated the "grinds" on the officers. Cadet Gallup, as "Gelon, grinds" on the officers. Cadet Gallup, as "Gelon. Tyrant of Skinopolis," was a great success. Cadet Sarratt, as commander-in-chief of Gelon's standing army, kept the audience roaring. Lieutenant Leatherhead portrayed a tactical officer so faithfully that the latter got annry and left the hall before the performance ended. The scenery was painted by the cadets.

## THE IMMIGRATION BILL.

PROTECTING LABOR.

From The Indianapolis Journal. From The Indianapons Journal.

The bill simply excludes those immigrants who cannot read the language of some country. These people are not excluded because they are foreigners or because they are particularly vicious, but because we already have a surplus of people in this country who are common laborers.

ITS EFFECT.

From The New-York Press. From The New-York Press.

The law, if passed last year, would have kept out nearly one-half of the Italian, one-fifth of the Russian and one-third of the Hungarian immigration of the year. It would have benefited native and naturalized labor.

CLEVELAND'S ATTITUDE.

From The Syracuse Post.

The responsibility for its success or failure now rests with President Cleveland. It was stated some weeks ago that he would veto it. But since the rumor has not been revived since the adoption of the report of the conference committee by the House, it is to be hoped that, as amended, it will meet with his approval—even as it meets with the approval of a great majority of the American people.

CANADA WILL RETALIATE.

From The Boston Transcript.

The bill is a barrier to Canadian competition with the labor of this country. When our neighbors were ready for the return thrust, mining, lumber and other industries carried on by Americans in Canada would have to pull up stakes and come home, at whatever sacrifice. There is such a commingling of industrial interests along our northern border that any such violent attempt to untangle them as is proposed by this bill would result in great hardship both sides of the line.

Seth Low of Columbia University, Dean Hoffman of the General Theological Seminary, all the bishops of dioceses in the State, all the leading cherkymen in the city, and the senior ministers of the First Presbyterian and Dutch Reformed churches of the First Presbyterian and Dutch Reformed churches of the Clark and the Rev. Alfred E. Myers, of the Colerian twith that of Trinity Parish. The rest of the titekets will be given to the members of the several congregations of the parish, in just proportion, but the number of tickets will be suited to the number of sittings in the church.

The celebration of the betentenary will begin on Sunday, May 2, when a pastoral letter by the Rev. Dr. Dix will be read in Trinity Church and in each of the chapels of the parish. At each place, also, there will be a sermon by the rector or vicar upon the bleentenary. In the evening there will be special services in the church and chapels.

On the following Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday there will be algered accepted invitations to make addresses are the Rev. Dr. Rainsford, rector of St. George's Church, believed the Rev. Alfred E. Myers, of the Colark and the Rev. Alfred E. Myers, of the Colark and the Rev. Alfred E. Myers, of the Colark and the Rev. Alfred E. Myers, of the Colark and the Rev. Alfred E. Myers, of the Colark and the Rev. Alfred E. Myers, of the Colark and the Rev. Alfred E. Myers, of the Colark and the Rev. Alfred E. Myers, of the Colark and the Rev. Alfred E. Myers, of the Colark and the Rev. Alfred E. Myers, of the Colark and the Rev. Alfred E. Myers, of the Colark and the Rev. Alfred E. Myers, of the Colark and the Rev. Alfred E. Myers, of the Colark and the Rev. Alfred E. Myers, of the Colark and the Rev. Alfred E. Myers, of the Colark and the Rev. Alfred E. Myers, of the Colark and the Rev. Alfred E. Myers, of the Clark and the Rev. Alfred E. Myers, of the Colark and the Rev. Alfred E. Myers, of the Colark and the Rev. Alfred E. Myers, of the Clark and the Rev. Alfred E. Myers, of the Colark and the Rev. Al legiate Church, occupied seats in the chancel, and each read part of the service. It was announced

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Washington, and spoke of his call to the Presidency and of his adding "So help me God" to his onth of office. Continuous, he said:

And here we come upon the full and final Justification of his civic primacy—samely, he believed with all his soul in the God of Nations. No arheist, no infidel, no rationalist could have occupied his place.

It may be profitable here to call attention to a striking historical parallel. The cause of freedom was fought out almost contemporaneously in America and France. When the hour struck in our country the man was forthcoming—Maroleon, who followed his star of destiny. The Continental Congress was opened with prayer, white in the Corps Legislatify a resolution was offered and passed. "There is no God." The wives and children of the colonies, while their husbands and fathers were enduring the rigors of war, bore hunger and privation with humble natione. The women of France marched out to Versallies and interrupted the National Assembly, crying. "This is not a question of polities; this is a question of bread." While the fabric of constitutional freedom was rising on this side of the sea the share blade of the suillotine on the other was decapitating the bravest and the noblest of France. And when our Nation was rejoicing in the ultimate success of the glorious struggle for human rights and giving praises to God the disappointed neople of France were in unspeakable desair. because their hopes were extinguished and their ill-founded temple of freedom had gone down in free and hiood.

MR. DEPEW BUYS A COUNTRY PLACE.

Chauncey M. Depew has acquired a country place at Dobbs Ferry. Mr. Depew usually spends part of

### OBITUARY.

CAPTAIN WILLIAM H. MERRELL, U. S. A. Captain William Howard Merreil, U. S. A., retired, died on Saturday at his home, No. 302 West One-hundred-and-twenty-first-st. He was born in Utica in 1833. At the beginning of the war he enlisted as a private in Company E, 27th New-York Volunteers, and was soon afterward made a poral. In August, 1982, he was appointed first lieutenant in the 108th New-York Infantry, and rose to the rank of captain in March, 1863. He was honorably mustered out in July of that year. Later he was successively lieutenant and captain in the Veteran Reserve Corps. In July, 1866, h accepted a permanent commission in the regular army as first lieutenant in the 42d Infantry, and became captain in 1868, being retired on December 31, 1870. He was commended for bravery in the first battle of Bull Run. Toward the close of the war, when talk of personal violence to the Presi-dent was rife, Captain Merrell had charge of the dent was rife, Captain Merrell had charge of the troops which acted as the President's bodyguard. He was for eight months in Libby Prison, and afterward wrote a book telling of his experiences there and of his escape with several other officers. Captain Merrell was a nephew of General Daniel E. Sickles. He leaves a married daughter, Mrs. Eugene A. Fox, of Montgomery, Ala. The funeral will take place to-day in Rochester.

### THOMAS D. HANKINSON.

Thomas D. Hankinson died at his home in the Terrace in Central Park, off the Transverse Road, at Eighty-fifth-st., at 6:30 o'clock Saturday night from consumption. Mr. Hankinson was fifty-six years old, and had been employed by the Department of Public Works for the last thirty-four years, He was a prominent member of the G. A. R. and belonged to John A. Dix Post No. 135. He contracted the fatal disease at the National Encamp-ment of the G. A. R. at Louisville, Ky., a year ago. Mr. Hankinson enlisted in the 33 New-York Vol-unteers in the Civil War, and lost his right arm at the battle of Petersburg. Va. He leaves a widow and five children, two sons and three daughters. The funeral will be held this evening at his home. The burial will be in Greenwood Cemetery.

THE REV. DR. GEORGE R. CROOKS. Madison, N. J., Feb. 21 (Special).-The Rev. Dr. George Richard Crooks professor of historical theology in Drew Theological Seminary here, died on Saturday evening. He was seventy-five years old, and had been in poor health for the last two

Dr. Crooks was born in Philadelphia, and was educated at Dickinson College, from which he was graduated in 1840, and was professor of Greek and Latin there for several years. He became a member of the Philadelphia Conference in 1843, and was afterward a member of the New-York Con-New-York and Brooklyn. His last charge was in Peekskill, N. Y. He was Editor of "The Methodist" for afteen years. He was a clear and vigorous writer, and an eloquent and fervent preacher. Most of his literary work was in contributions to the religious and secular press. He was well known as a writer for "Harper's Weekly" and The Tribune. Of his books, the chief are his "Life of Bishop Simpson" and the "Biblical and Theological Library." In this latter work he was assisted by Bishop John F. Hurst. Another of his works was his "Theological Encyclopaedia" He was the originator of Children's Day in the Methodist Church, and the founder of the children's fund for the encouragement of education among Methodist youth.

The funeral will be held in the seminary chapel at 2 o'clock on Wednesday afternoon. Dr. Crooks was a widower, and leaves four daughters, two of whom live in England. Peckskill, N. Y. He was Editor of "The Meth-

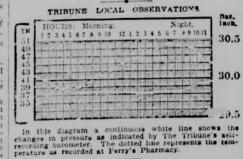
THE REV. DR. ALEXANDER M. BEEBEE. Utica, N. Y., Feb. 21.—The Rev. Dr. Alexander M. Beebee, professor of homiletics at Colgate University, died at his home in Hamilton, N. Y. last night. He was seventy-seven years old, and be-came a member of the university faculty in 189.

### OBITUARY NOTES.

Elmira, N. Y., Feb. 21.-John A. Roy, a farmer and one of the largest land-owners in Northern Pennsylvania and Southern New-York, died here yesterday. He at one time owned the entire tract of land on which Sioux City, Iowa, now stands. Lincoln, Neb., Feb. 21.-Benjamin Saville died on Friday at London, Nemaha County, aged eighty-one years. He was an Englishman, and when a young man was Queen Victoria's coachman. He was a friend of Abraham Lincoln, and in the em-ploy of the martyred President fifty years ago.

Hollidaysburg, Pern., Feb. 21.-Thomas H. Lewis Hollidaysburg, Pern., Feb. 21.—Thomas H. Lewis, a well-known hydraulic engineer, and the contractor who built the reservoirs of Hollidaysburg, Gaysport and County Home, died here this morning of blood poisoning. He was the president of the Aetna Mining Company and secretary of the Juniata Canister Company, and identified with other industrial plants. He was fifty-seven years old.

THE NATIONAL SOUND MONEY LEAGUE. A conference of the National Sound Money League will be held at the rooms of the Chamber of Commerce in this city on Wednesday at 11 o'clock, and will be attended by delegates from St. Louis, Chicago, St. Paul, Louisville, Cincinnati, Cleveland, Charleston, Baltimore, Philadelphia, New-York, Brooklyn, Boston and other cities. There are now twenty-one cities represented in the organization, and each is entitled to two dele-



Tribune Office, Feb. 22, 1 a. m.—The weather yesterday

was fair and mild. The temperature ranged between 35 and 50 degrees, the average (45% degrees), being 11% degrees higher than that of Saturday, and 20% higher than that of the corresponding day of last year. The weather to-day will be rainy and colder.

When Croup comes suddenly, a life may be lost before you can go for the doctor. Give Dr. D. Jayne's Expectorant. It almost invariably cures.

ACKERMAN—In New-York City, on Friday, February 19, 1897, Dr. Charles Willis Ackerman, son of the late John W. Ackerman, in his 28th year.

Funeral services at the residence of his father-in-law, Augustus Kipp, No. 157 Warburton-ave., Yonkers, N. V. on Monday, February 22, at 2 p. m.

Interment Oakland Cemstery.

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BEASLEY—At Trenton, N. J., on the 19th Inst., Mercer Heasley, Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of New-Jersey, in the Sid year of his age.

The relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral from his late residence, No. 143 East State st., in the City of Trenton, on Monday morning, February 22, at 11 o'clock. Interment at Riverview Cemetery.

BUCKLEY—On Saturday, February 20, Sarah McComb Buchley, at the residence of her brother, Thomas Buckley, No. 17 State-st., Troy, N. Y.

Puneral Tuesday, at 2 o'clock.

BURNHAM—Suddenly, on February 20, 1897, Lyman 8.

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CRASSOUS—At Paterson, N. J., Pebruary 21, 1887, Perdinand Crassous, in the 87th year of his age.

Puneral private.
Interment at Yonkers, N. Y.
CROOKS—At Madison, N. J., on Saturday, February 20, the Rev. George Richard Crooks, D. D., professor in Drew The Jogical Seminary.

Funeral services will be held in the chapel of the Beminary at 2 p. m., Wednesday, February 24.

Train leaves foot Christopher or Barciay st, at 12 noon, Kindly omit flowers.

FAULKNER—On Saturday, February 20, C. Matilda.

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Kindly omit flowers.

PAULKNER—On Saturday, February 20, C. Matilda, daughter of the late James C. and Maria B. Fauikner, Relatives and friends are invited to attend the funeral from her late residence, No. 162 West 127th-st., on Tuesday, 23d inst., at 3 o'clock p. m.

HEGEMAN—Suddenly, Sunday, February 21, 1897, 44 his residence, 18th-ave, and 79th-st., Brooklyn, N. T., Thomas M. Hegeman, in the 67th year of his age.

Notice of funeral hereafter.

MARSTON—On Friday evening, February 19, 1897, Rapriet, wife of William H. Marston and daughter of the late Charles Merrill.

Funeral from her late residence, No. 168 Lafayette-ava, Brooklyn, on Monday, February 22, at 2 p. m.

Interment private.

Friends will kindly omit flowers.

MERRELL—On Saturday, February 20, 1897, at his resignation.

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Interment and funeral at Rochester, N. Y.

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Interment and funeral at Rochester, N. Y.
NEILSON—In this city, on February 19, 1897, at his reddence, No. 12 West 47th-st., Walter S. Neilson.
Relatives and friends and members of the New-York Stock Exchange are invited to attend the funeral on Monday, February 22, at 1 p. m., at the First Presebyterian Church, 5th-ave, and 18th-st.
Kindly omit flowers.
Veterans of the 7th Regiment are requested to attend the funeral service of Walter S. Neilson (Seventh Company), at First Presebyterian Church, 5th-ave, and 18th-st., on Monday, February 22, 1897, at 1 o'clock p. m.
1. G. WOODHOUSE, Colonel.
OLDS—On Saturday, February 29, 1897, Cassie Austin Walker, wife of Franklin M. Olds.
Funeral 230 p. m. Tuesday, February 23, 1897, at her late residence, No. 762 High-st., Newark, N. J.
Interment at convenience of the family.
SEYMOUR—At the residence of his brother-in-law, M. H.
Houghton, No. 578 West End-ave, on Friday morning, February 19, Hon. Augustus Sherrill Seymour, of Newbern, No. C., Judge of the United States District Court of Eastern North Carolina, aged 09 years.
Funeral in Newbern.
Suthern papers please copy.
WAGSTAFF—On Friday morning, February 19, 1897, at her residence, "Tahlufah," West Islip, Long Island, Sarah Flatt, widow of Dr. Aifred Wagstaff and daugher for the late Cornelius Du Bois, of New-York, in the Sthy year of her age.
Relatives and friends are invited to attend the funeral from St. Mark's Church, 2d-aye, and 10th-st., on Monday morning, February 22, at 11 o'clock.
R. is kindly requested that no flowers be sent.
WALKER—At Nyack, on Saturda, the 20th inst., Emity, daughter of the late Phiness and Maria Walker, of Guilford, Conn.
Funeral from the residence of W. A. Walker, Nyack, at 11 o'clock in the first papers please copy.

The officers of the Alumnt Association of New-York. The officers of the Alumnt Association of New-York.

The officers of the Alumni Association of New-Tork University announce with these sorrow the death of a member of the Executive Committee, William A. Hos, fr. at his home, No. 729 St. Nicholas-ave., New-York, on Friday, February 19, 1897. CEPHAS BRAINERD, Jr., Secretary, ISRAEL C. PIEESON, President.

WOODLAWN CEMETERY.
Office No. 20 E. 23d-st.
Woodlawn Station (24th Ward) Harlem Railroad.

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Princed matter, etc.—German steamers sailing on Thesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays take printed matter, etc., for Germany and specially addressed printed matter, etc., for other paris of Europe. White Star steamers on Wednesday take specially addressed printed matter, etc., for Europe. American, Cunard and Fremch line steamers take printed matter, etc., for all countries for whick they are advertised to carry mail.

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TUSEDAY—At #230 a. m. for Fort Antonio, per steamer from Baitimore; at #3 p. m. for Costa Rica, per steamer from New-Orleans; at 7 p. m. for Nassau, N. P., per steamer from Mami, Fia.

WEDNESDAY—At #230 a. m. for Fort Antonio, per steamer from New-Orleans; at 7 p. m. for Nassau, N. P., per steamer from Mami, Fia.

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HURSDAT—At 1 p. m. supplementary #1:39 p. m.) for Nassau, N. P., and Santiago de Cuba, per s. s. Niagara; at 1 p. m. for guidenentary #1:30 p. m.) for Nassau, N. P., per s. s. Antilla (letters must be directed "per Antilla"); at 1 p. m. for Inagua, Port de Paix, Gonaives, Pett Goave and Aux-Cayes, per s. s. Schleswig; at 3 p. m. for Barbados direct, also North Brazil, via Para and Manaos, per s. s. Sobralense.

PRIDAY—At 7 p. m. for Nassau, N. P., per steamer from Miami, Fia.

SATURIDAY—At 9:20 a. m. (supplementary 10 a. m.) for St. Thomas, St. Croix, Leeward and Windward Islands, Martinique and Harbados, per s. s. Altail Getters for Costa Rica must be directed "per Altai"); at 10 a. m. (supplementary 10:30 a. m.) for Fortune Island, Jamaica, Savanilla and Certhagena, per s. s. Altail Getters for Costa Rica must be directed "per Altai"); at 10 a. m. (supplementary 10:30 a. m.) for Fortune Island, Jamaica, Savanilla and Certhagena, per s. s. Altail Getters for Costa Rica must be directed "per Silvia"); at 11 a. m. for Jamaica, per s. s. Silvia (Betters for Relize, Quatemaia and Puerto Cortex must be directed "per Catania"); at 11 a. m. for Jamaica, per s. s. Silvia (Betters for Medica and Francia

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CHARLES W. DAYTON, Postmauter.

Postoffice, New-York, N. Y., February 19, 1897.